Member is not present. The question will be treated as unstarred question.

Question No. 9. Sri H. C. Linga Reddy.

Planning Commission for suggesting Development Projects for Mysore State.

*Q.—9. **Sri H. C. LINGA REDDY** (Kolar District—General).—

Will the Government be pleased to state :—

(*a*) whether there is a Planning Commission for the State of Mysore to devise and suggest development projects and capital works ;

(*b*) the agency that is at present planning for Mysore ;

(*c*) whether the said agency suggested any development works or capital projects after the advent of Responsible Government in the State ;

(*d*) the various stages at which these development projects are, their estimates and the time that is required for completion ?

*A.—**The Hon'ble Sri K. CHENGALARAYA REDDY** (Chief Minister).—

(*a*) No.

(*b*) Heads of Departments formulate schemes for their respective departments. These schemes are co-ordidated into an overall plan for the State by the Commissioner of Economic Development and Planning after they are considered by the Inter-Departmental Committee on Planning which consists of the Hon'ble Chief Minister as Chairman, the Commissioner of Economic Development and Planning as Secretary of the Committee and all Secretaries to Government, the Director of Industries and Commerce, the Commissioner for Food Production, the Commissioner for Rural Development and the Commissioner on Special Duty as Members.

(*c*) Yes.

(*d*) The implementation of the plans is to commence from 1951-52. The plans for development of Irrigation and Power during the next fifteen years are estimated to cost Rs. 3,210 lakhs and Rs. 4,908 lakhs, respectively. The plans in other Sections have yet to be finalised.

Sri H. C. LINGA REDDY.—With reference to question (*a*) you have said 'No' ; are not these days days of plans and programmes?

*The Hon'ble Sri K. CHENGALARAYA REDDY.—Yes.

Sri H. C. LINGA REDDY.—Is it not necessary that the State should have a Planning Commission so that it may plan and programme for the State with regard to various developments necessary for the State ?

The Hon'ble Sri K. CHENGALARAYA REDDY.—Planning for the State is necessary. But a separate agency for this State as the Hon'ble Member conceives is not necessary.

Sri H. C. LINGA REDDY.—Will it not be necessary that the Planning Commission should consist of experts including non-officials ?

The Hon'ble Sri K. CHENGALARAYA REDDY.—It is a matter of opinion.

Sri H. C. LINGA REDDY.—Is any outside body planning for the State ?

The Hon'ble Sri K. CHENGALARAYA REDDY.—I do not know what the Hon'ble Member means by 'outside body' ; but there is a National Planning Commission which is engaged in Planning for the whole of India.

Sri H. C. LINGA REDDY.—Is the National Planning Commission going to draw up plans and programmes for the Mysore State ?

The Hon'ble Sri K. CHENGALARAYA REDDY.—Yes, the National Planning Commission is planning for the whole Nation. It gets plans formulated from the various States and it evolves a co-ordinated plan and programme for the different regions of India.

Sri H. C. LINGA REDDY.—Are there any Mysore representatives on the Planning Commission with first-hand knowledge of the State ?

The Hon'ble Sri K. CHENGALARAYA REDDY.—The Hon'ble Member may perhaps know the constitution of the Planning Commission. It is not constituted on the basis of giving representation for individual States. It consists of experts drawn from any State and it is functioning on that basis. There are departmental committees which formulate and draft plans and they are sent to the National

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Planning Commission of the Government of India and there the overall plan is drawn up for the whole of India.

Sri H. C. LINGA REDDY.—The Hon'ble Minister has been pleased to answer that there is an Inter-Departmental Committee on Planning and that they have drawn up some programmes and plans. Have they submitted any plans to the National Planning Committee?

The Hon'ble Sri K. CHENGALARAYA REDDY.—They have submitted tentative plans and the overall plans have yet to go.

Sri H. C. LINGA REDDY.—What are the plans submitted?

The Hon'ble Sri K. CHENGALARAYA REDDY.—Plans relating to the departmental activities of the Government. It is a voluminous document. As soon as it is finalised, we will consider the question of placing the same before the Hon'ble Members.

Sri H. C. LINGA REDDY.—The Hon'ble Minister has stated that in regard to development of irrigation and power there are some schemes that have been submitted and that the plans in other Sections have yet to be finalised. What are those plans which have lised?

The Hon'ble Sri K. CHENGALARAYA REDDY.—For example, plans relating to Social Welfare Departments, Education, Medical and Public Health, Labour, Industries and Local-Self Government.

Sri H. C. LINGA REDDY.—Out of the plans submitted, are any sanctioned?

The Hon'ble Sri K. CHENGALARAYA REDDY.—This is not a question of plans being sanctioned immediately. This is a question of drawing up plans for two years, five years and fifteen years. The question of sanctioning them now does not arise.

Sri H. C. LINGA REDDY.—Has any of them been put into practice already?

ಮಾನ್ಯ ಶ್ರೀ ಕೆ. ಚೆಂಗಲರಾಯರೆಡ್ಡಿಯವರು.—"ಮಗು ಹುಟ್ಟುವುದಕ್ಕೆ ಮುಂಚೆ ಕುಲಾವಿ ಹೊಲಿಸಿದರು" ಎಂಬಂತಿದೆ ತಮ್ಮ ಪ್ರಶ್ನೆ.

Sri H. C. LINGA REDDY.—When exactly are the plans going to be implemented?

The Hon'ble Sri K. CHENGALARAYA REDDY.—Overall plans have first to be sanctioned; then the priorities have got to be fixed; the finances have to be made available. Then the question of implementation arises.

Sri H. C. LINGA REDDY.—How do the Government propose to finance these projects?

The Hon'ble Sri K. CHENGALARAYA REDDY.—The Hon'ble Member will wait for the answer.

Sri D. M. SIDDIAH (Mysore District—General).—Is our Development Department independent of the National Planning Committee?

The Hon'ble Sri K. CHENGALARAYA REDDY.—It is not independent; it is an integral part of the National Planning Commission.

Sri D. M. SIDDIAH.—How are we to get funds to implement the schemes?

The Hon'ble Sri K. CHENGALARAYA REDDY.—All that is being considered by the National Planning Commission and by us also.

Sri D. M. SIDDIAH.—What are the short-term and long-term plans proposed to be implemented by the Committee?

The Hon'ble Sri K. CHENGALARAYA REDDY.—There is a two-year plan; there is a five-year plan which includes the two-year plan; there is then a fifteen-year plan for irrigation and power development. These are the various plans that are being now considered by the National Planning Commission.

Sri D. M. SIDDIAH.—When will these proposals come into operation?

The Hon'ble Sri K. CHENGALARAYA REDDY.—As the Hon'ble Prime Minister of India has declared in the Parliament, it is hoped that the overall plan for the whole of India will be ready by the end of May 1951.

Sri D. M. SIDDIAH.—Have we to depend upon the Centre exclusively for finance?

The Hon'ble Sri K. CHENGALARAYA REDDY.—We have all to depend

upon the Centre. But there is no question of our depending upon the Centre exclusively.

Sri D. M. SIDDIAH.—In case the Centre is not going to help us, will the Government think of raising loans?

The Hon'ble Sri K. CHENGALARAYA REDDY.—That is a hypothetical question.

Suggesting amendments to the Constitution of India.

*Q.—19. **Sri M. GOVINDA REDDY** (Chitaldrug District—General).—

Will the Government be pleased to state :—

(*a*) whether they have been asked by the Government of India if they had any amendments to the Constitution of India to be suggested ;

(*b*) if so, whether they have made any suggestions ;

(*c*) what those proposed or suggested amendments are?

A.—**The Hon'ble Sri K. CHENGALARAYA REDDY** (Chief Minister).—

(*a*) No.

(*b*) and (*c*) In view of the answer to (*a*), this does not arise.

ಶ್ರೀ ಎಂ. ಗೋವಿಂದರೆಡ್ಡಿಯವರು.—ಭಾರತ ರಾಷ್ಟ್ರಾಧ್ಯಕ್ಷರೊಡನೆ ಈಗಿರತಕ್ಕ ಭಾರತ ರಾಜ್ಯಾಂಗ ವಿಧಿಯನ್ನು ತಿದ್ದುಪಡಿ ಮಾಡಬೇಕೆಂಬುದರ ಬಗ್ಗೆ ರಾಜ ಪ್ರಮುಖರೇನಾದರೂ ತಮಗೆ ಸಲಹೆಗಳನ್ನು ಕೊಟ್ಟಿದ್ದಾರೆಯೇ ?

*ಮಾನ್ಯ ಶ್ರೀ ಕೆ. ಚೆಂಗಲರಾಯರೆಡ್ಡಿಯವರು.—ನನಗೆ ತಿಳಿದಮಟ್ಟಿಗೂ ಇಲ್ಲ.

ಶ್ರೀ ಎಂ. ಗೋವಿಂದರೆಡ್ಡಿಯವರು.—ಭಾರತದಲ್ಲಿರುವ ಅಖಿಲ ಭಾರತ ಕಾಂಗ್ರೆಸ್ ಸಂಸ್ಥೆಯವರ ಒಂದು ಪಂಗಡದವರೇನಾದರೂ ಈ ಬಗ್ಗೆ ತಿದ್ದುಪಡಿಯಾಗಬೇಕೆಂದು ನಮ್ಮ ಮೈಸೂರು ಸರ್ಕಾರದವರನ್ನು ಕೇಳಿಲ್ಲವೇ ?

ಮಾನ್ಯ ಶ್ರೀ ಕೆ. ಚೆಂಗಲರಾಯರೆಡ್ಡಿಯವರು.—ಇದರ ವಾಸ್ತವಾಂಶವೇನಿರುತ್ತೆಂದರೆ ಅಖಿಲ ಭಾರತ ಕಾಂಗ್ರೆಸ್ ಸಂಸ್ಥೆಯವರು ಕಾಂಗ್ರೆಸ್ ಪಾರ್ಲಿಮೆಂಟರಿ ಬೋರ್ಡ್ ಎಂಬ ಸಂಸ್ಥೆಯೊಂದನ್ನು ಸ್ಥಾಪನೆ ಮಾಡಿದ್ದಾರೆ. ಬಹುಶಃ ಇದು ಅವರ ಆಲೋಚನೆಯಲ್ಲಿದ್ದರೂ ಇರಬಹುದು, ಅಷ್ಟೆ.

ಶ್ರೀ ವಿ. ಎಸ್. ನರಸಿಂಹರಾಯರು (ಬೆಂಗಳೂರು ನಗರ).—ಹಾಗೆ ತಿದ್ದುಪಡಿ ಮಾಡತಕ್ಕದ್ದು ಅವಶ್ಯಕ ಎಂಬುದಾಗಿ ಕಂಡುಬಂದಿದೆಯೇ ?

ಮಾನ್ಯ ಶ್ರೀ ಕೆ. ಚೆಂಗಲರಾಯರೆಡ್ಡಿಯವರು.—ಹಾಗೆ ತಿಳಿದುಬಂದಿರುವುದರಿಂದಲೇ ಅದರ ಅವಶ್ಯಕತೆ ಕಂಡುಬಂದಿದ್ದರೂ ಇರಬಹುದು.

Tours of Ministers in foreign countries.

*Q.—20. **Sri M. GOVINDA REDDY** (Chitaldrug District—General).—

Will the Government be pleased to state :—

(*a*) whether Ministers have toured foreign countries since 1947 to date ;

(*b*) if so, the details of such tours with names of Ministers, dates and periods of such tours, countries toured, expenses incurred on each tour, the expenses if any met by the Government of India, the expenses met by the Government of Mysore, in each tour and the reasons for which those tours were undertaken ?

A.—**The Hon'ble Sri K. CHENGALARAYA REDDY** (Chief Minister).—

(*a*) Yes.

(*b*) Please see the two statements 'A' and 'B' appended below.

STATEMENT 'A'.

(b) (i) Sri H. C. Dasappa, Minister for Finance and Industries.—

(ii) Dates and periods of such tours ...	From 10th October 1948 to 25th January 1949,
(iii) Countries visited ...	Egypt, Switzerland, Czechoslovakia, Hungary, United Kingdom, Sweden, Norway, Denmark, Belgium, France, U.S.A and Italy.
(iv) Expenses met by Government of Mysore.	Rs. 12,125-13-0 for the entire tour.
(v) Expenses met by Government of India.	No portion was met by the Government of India.
(vi) Reasons for which those tours were undertaken.	Industrial Mission—To study the possibility of expansion of the existing industries and the starting of new industries in the State and the Sandalwood oil operations in foreign countries.

STATEMENT 'B.'

(b) (i) Sri K. T. Bhashyam, Minister for Law and Labour, toured foreign countries—twice—Once in 1948 and in 1949 for the second time.

(ii) Dates and periods of such tours :—
Between 4th June 1948 and 21st August 1948, and
Between 2nd June 1949 and 12th July 1949.